

A telephone installation includes an analogue telephone, an Internet connection terminal adapted to be connected to the Internet via a telephone network, and connecting means for connecting the telephone to the Internet connection terminal. The connecting means include switching circuits for connecting the telephone to the Internet connection terminal to enable the telephone to send and receive analogue format voice signals respectively to and from the telephone network. The installation also has means for receiving orders via the telephone network. The connecting means can be controlled by orders issued by a server to cause the telephone to be connected to the terminal.